

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

v.

LUCRECIO ELENA-PAREDES  
Defendant

INDICTMENT

CRIMINAL NO. 25-188(GMM)

VIOLATION:  
8 U.S.C. §§ 1326(a) & (b)(2)  
(ONE COUNT)



THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT ONE

Re-entry of Removed Alien  
(Title 8, *United States Code*, Sections 1326(a) & (b)(2))

On or about April 6, 2025, in the District of Puerto Rico and within the jurisdiction of  
this Court, the defendant,

**LUCRECIO ELENA-PAREDES,**

who is an alien, as the term is defined in Title 8, *United States Code*, Section 1101(a)(3), and who  
has been previously removed from the United States after an aggravated felony conviction, was  
found in the United States, without obtaining, prior to his re-embarkation at a place outside the  
United States, the express consent of the Secretary of Homeland Security to reapply for admission  
into the United States. All in violation of Title 8, *United States Code*, Sections 1326(a) & (b)(2).

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